

KERENSKY IS SEVERELY WOUNDED

While Trying to Save Mutinous Troops, Shot By Russian Batteries

INDIGNANT AT DESERTION ARTILLERYMEN FIRED ON FLEEING COMRADES

War Minister Drove Between Contingents and Was Punctured in the Arm

RUSSIAN FLIGHT IN GALICIA CONTINUES

But in Moldavia, the Russo-Roumanians Are Putting Up Strong Fight

(International News Service.)

Paris, July 27.—Premier War Minister Kerensky, the Russian dictator, has been wounded while trying to stem the Russian retreat on the eastern front, said a dispatch received here today quoting the Budapest newspaper Az Est.

It was declared that near Brzezany hill Kerensky was severely wounded in the arm. A Russian infantry division began retreating. The Russian artillery, furious at this desertion, turned their guns on the infantry. Kerensky, who was in an automobile, drove his car between the guns and retreating soldiers and succeeded in stopping the slaughter, but was wounded in the arm.

RUSSIANS CONTINUE TO RETREAT

(International News Service.)

Geneva, July 27.—German and Austro-Hungarian armies are converging upon the great Russian fortress of Kolomea from two directions.

Advices from Berlin today quoted official dispatches from the eastern front as saying that one army was advancing against Kolomea from Delatyn and another from Otytnal.

In eastern Galicia, German forces are attacking the Russian defenses of

Jalat on the Knita river. Both Berlin and Vienna report continued advances in Galicia and admit that violent fighting has developed in the Moldavian province of Roumania, where the Russo-Roumanians are reported to have made important gains south of the Suchitza valley.

At some points in Galicia, according to the German war office, the Austro-German forces have advanced 45 miles since their counter offensive was opened against the Russians.

ALLIES ARE OPPOSED TO PEACE

(International News Service.)

London, July 27.—The iron-bound determination of the entente allies to fight until Germany is crushed is reaffirmed. That is the interpretation today placed upon developments of the past 24 hours. There is no thought of peace in London or Paris. That is made plain by the overwhelming defeat of Ramsay MacDonald's peace resolution in the house of commons, and by the speech of former Premier Asquith, who at this instant is regarded as the spokesman of the al-

lied governments.

Analysis of Mr. Asquith's speech established as the chief aim of the allies today the determination to fight until decisive victory, the following:

No. 1—The humbling of the present German government and the removal of the German military caste. 2—Restoration of all the territory seized by the German allies. 3—International guarantees that will pledge the safety of small nations in the future.

Such questions as dismemberment and disarmament are to be left to the actual peace conference.

Battalion of Death Takes 102 German Prisoners

(International News Service.)

Petrograd, July 27.—Deserted by their men comrades, but undaunted by the shells that rained around them, the women of the "Battalion of Death" distinguished themselves in the first engagement against the Germans by capturing 102 prisoners, two of them haughty Prussian officers.

HEAVY INFANTRY FIGHTING BREAKS OUT IN BELGIUM.

(International News Service.)

London, July 27.—Heavy infantry fighting broke out during the night in Belgium and the village of La Bas-

seeville changed hands twice.

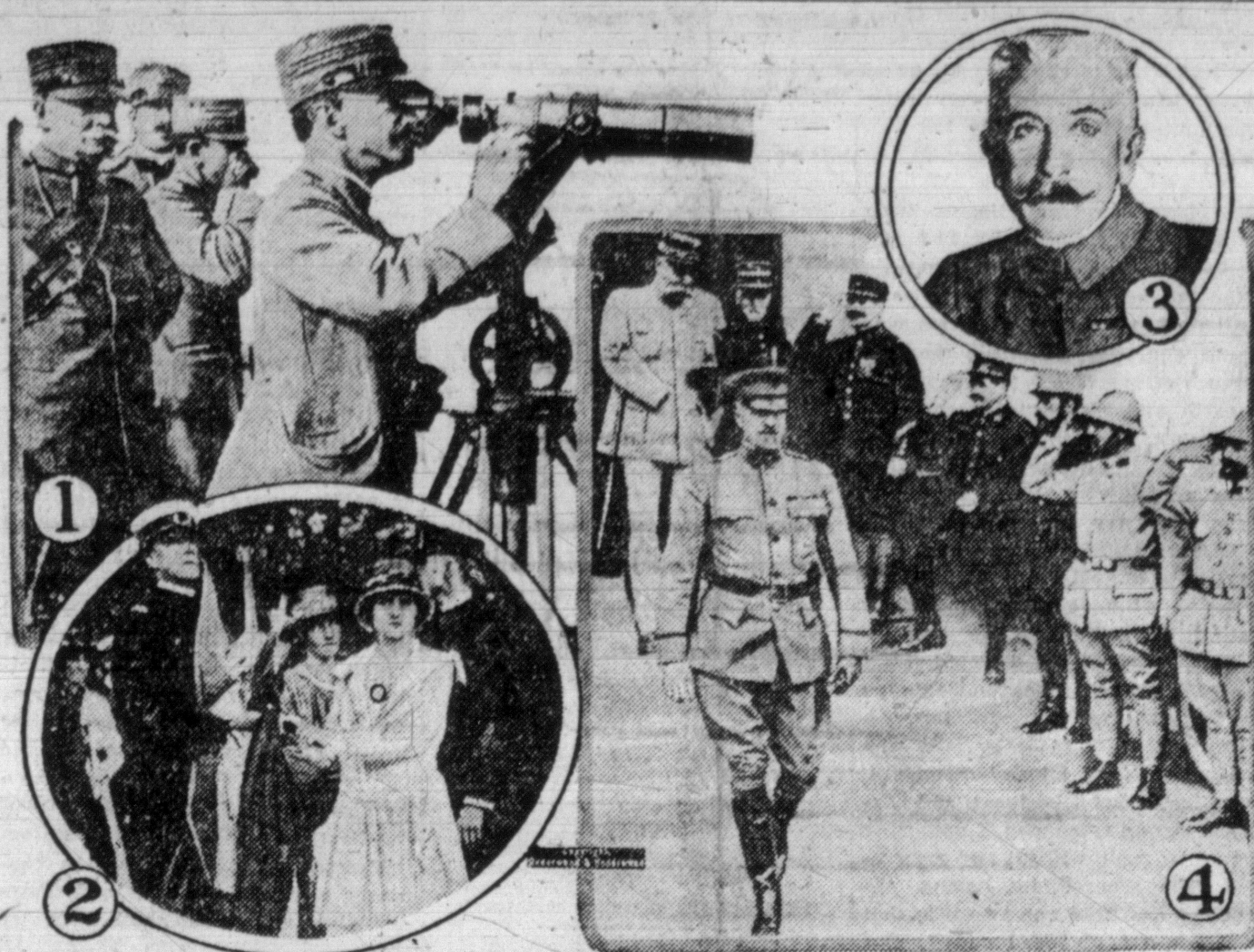
The British made a powerful attack in the Warneton sector, the war office announced, penetrating La Casseeville, but before they could consolidate their positions the Germans re-captured the place.

Morgan County Man Has Good Canning Plant Of His Own

A. S. Bankston With Five Dollar Outfit Puts Up Hundreds of Cans of Fruits and Vegetables

One Morgan county man has solved the canning problem to his own satisfaction. He invested five dollars in a canning plant with a capacity of six dozen cans an hour and proceeded to put up sufficient fruits and vegetables to last him the long winter through. H. S. Bankston is the man, and he resides on the Miller place five miles out on the Austinville-Flint road. He was here today.

Mr. Bankston, while at the Daily office, "and have had splendid success. This year, I will put up five hundred cans of peaches alone. My process has always given satisfaction, and as my 'bit' I am willing to teach it to anyone sufficiently interested to come to my farm on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays and take lessons. The art of canning can be easily acquired and if generally understood thousands of dollars worth of fruit and vegetables going to waste in Morgan county could be utilized."



1—King Victor Emmanuel of Italy watching the progress of his troops from a vantage point high in the mountains. 2—Arrest of suffragist pickets who displayed objectionable banners in front of the White House. 3—New photograph of General Hubert Lyautey of France. 4—General Pershing leaving the Hotel des Invalides in Paris.

SIMS IN FAVOR GOING AFTER GERMAN SUBS

(International News Service.)

Washington, July 27.—Further pressure for aggressive action against the U-boat menace has been brought to bear by representatives of that portion of the American navy now in British waters, it was learned here today. Vice Admiral Sims, in command of the destroyer flotilla, urged one of two courses upon the British and French naval representatives at the conference at Paris, it was stated.

The American officer favored a combined offensive, assisted by air craft, against the German submarine bases, or an aggressive move of the combined forces having for its object the holding of the undersea boats close to their bases.

Court Adjourns Today Until Next Monday

The Morgan county circuit court, in session at the court house, will adjourn today until Monday.

The jury disposed of a few more of the over fifty cases of the city of New Decatur vs. the Decatur Land Co. In most cases the verdict of the jury required the land company to pay all street assessments with interest from the date the tax was due.

Interned Vessels Are Ready For Service

(International News Service.)

Washington, July 27.—More than half of the interned German liners seized by the United States at the outbreak of the war, are now ready to take the seas in the service of the United States, the shipping board announced today.

Violent Earthquake Shock to the South

(International News Service.)

New Orleans, July 27.—The Loyola seismograph recorded violent earthquake tremors during the night. Seemingly they were in Central America or Mexico.

Lord Kitchener's Sister Says Her Brother Still Lives

Mrs. Parker Convinced the Great Englishman Will Yet Show Up

(International News Service.)

London, July 27.—Is Lord Kitchener really dead? This question was raised high in the public mind today by the Post which quoted Mrs. Parker, sister of the former secretary of state for war, as saying she believes he is still alive and will return some day.

It was the first time Mrs. Parker had publicly announced her belief that her brother did not perish when the cruiser Hampshire was sunk by a mine off the Scottish coast.

Camp Is Struck by Lightning and Three Men Killed

(International News Service.)

St. Louis, July 27.—Three soldiers were killed and a dozen others injured, some seriously, when lightning struck Camp Maxwell near here today during a tremendous storm. Many of the tents at the camp caught fire.

Red Cross Workers Don't Mind the Heat

Workrooms in Albany and Decatur Are Busy Places.

These sultry days are not keeping the ladies of the Albany and Decatur divisions of the Red Cross from their garment work for the soldiers. The Albany ladies have a spacious, well lighted room, and in addition have several large electric fans to help keep the room comfortable. They have four machines and want more to accommodate the large number of workers they have. The Red Cross room of Decatur is as well equipped. Bolts and bolts of material have been purchased by the two chapters. And in addition much thread, needles and small articles have been bought. The ladies are confining their work mostly so far to fashioning bandages of all kinds. The bandages are properly wrapped and put in a large box ready for shipment.

Argentine Welcomes American Sailors

(International News Service.)

Buenos Aires, July 27.—Rain has interfered with the entertainment of the United States sailors visiting Argentina, but has not dampened the cordiality that is being extended Admiral Caperton's men on every hand.

CORRECTED ERROR MEDICAL BOARD CATCHES AN ALBANY FOR ARMY DRAFT MAN IN THE DRAFT HAS BEEN NAMED; MURRAY IS HEAD

LEONARD B. SMITH INCLUDED IN
FIRST CALL. OTHER CHANGES
MADE.

One Morgan county man probably escaped the first call and another comes within its embrace as the result of the correction of errors due to the transmission of the draft numbers from Washington by press wires. A number of errors were made, but only two that apply to first call men.

Leonard B. Smith, of Albany, whose serial number was transmitted as 3595 instead of 2595 is included in the first call. His order in the drawing is 455.

Fred B. Boverstreet, of Valhermosa Springs, whose red ink number is 1,054, might possibly have come within the first call as a long shot, his order in the drawing being 853. The number drawn as 1053 should have read 10053, which does not apply to Morgan county.

J. P. Thomas, of Decatur, who has kept close track of the drawing as it affects Morgan county, has furnished the Daily with the following information in regard to numbers erroneously transmitted:

3595, not applying to Morgan county, changed to 2592, Leonard B. Smith, Albany. Order of drawing 455.

1053, Fred B. Boverstreet, Valhermosa Springs, changed to 10053, not applying to Morgan county. Order of drawing 853.

1170, Matthew C. Chunn, Somerville, changed to 1179, Paul R. King, Somerville. Order of drawing 1373.

1021, Isander Smith, Lawrence Cove, changed to 10021, not applying to Morgan county. Order of drawing 1443.

1043, Silas J. Smallwood, Apple Grove, changed to 1143, Arthur Wray Valhermosa Springs. Order of drawing 1518.

507, Thomas E. Williams, Decatur, changed to 570, William J. French Lanes. Order of drawing 2312.

2012, Henry P. Able, Albany, changed to 2812, Albert E. Walling, Lacey Springs. Order of drawing 5175.

The complete list of changes made by the official figures, is as follows:

No. 411 is 5170. Was sent as 517. No. 455 is 2592. Was sent as 3595. No. 853 is 10052. Was sent as 1053. No. 1244 is 5307. Was sent as 5037. No. 1373 is 1179. Was sent as 1170.

No. 1443 is 10021. Was sent as 1021. No. 1518 is 1143. Was sent as 1043. No. 1834 is 5616. Was sent as 5618. No. 2047 is 6036. Was sent as 6136.

No. 2312 is 570. Was sent as 507. No. 2693 is 5916. Was sent as 5917. No. 7042 is 9989. Was sent as 6866. No. 3320 is 4965. Was sent as 4962.

No. 3401 is 9848. Was sent as 3843. No. 3492 is 6128. Was sent as 6023. No. 4210 is 5224. Was sent as 5524. No. 4983 is 5002. Was sent as 5012.

No. 5175 is 2812. Was sent as 2012.

Draft Exemptions Are Left Entirely With Local Boards

Crowder Announces a Hands Off Policy Unless Governor Appeals

(International News Service.)

Washington, July 27.—Marriage may exempt a man from draft, even though married after registration, according to an unofficial interpretation of the regulations by Provost Marshal General Crowder today.

The provost marshal believes it should be left to the local board to establish whether a man has married to escape the draft and whether he really has dependents.

(International News Service.)

Washington, July 27.—Exemptions from the draft law will be a matter purely for local jurisdiction.

Provost Marshal General Crowder today announced a "hands off" policy to be adopted by his office. There has been a continued flood of queries concerning exemptions coming into the office of Gen. Crowder, and his answer to them all has been: "See your local board," and he has steadfastly refused even to interpret the law in individual cases.

In the same manner Gen. Crowder will deal with the local boards. When a local board finds itself face to face with a regulation which it cannot readily interpret, it must appeal to the governor of the state for an interpretation. The governor may in turn appeal to the provost marshal general, and then a ruling applying to all boards will be given.

Attention was also called today to the fact that all agricultural exemptions must come from the district board and the local board has no jurisdiction in the matter. Gen. Crowder advises that any person seeking exemption upon industrial grounds shall take his case immediately to the district board.

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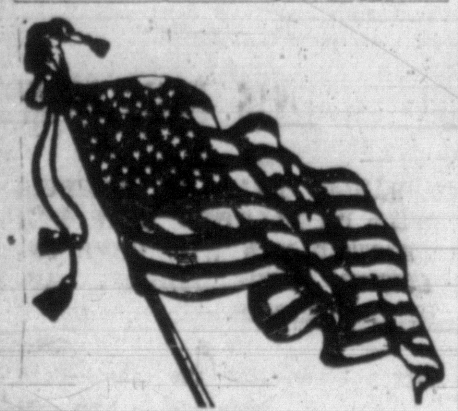
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PRESIDENT BAUGH
AS A DICTATOR.

Before Kerensky undertakes to fill
the role of dictator of "darkest Rus-
sia" he should come to the United
States and consult with some of the
American autocrats as to how to best
hold down his job. After interview-
ing the paper trust, the steel mag-
nates, the coal barons and the gaso-
line gougers, he might extend his
visit to Alabama and get in touch
with the head of the Southern League.

It was only this week that Presi-
dent Baugh issued his famous dictum
to newspaper men who are also of-
ficial scorers. It sounded something
like this: "Catch you knocking a
player or an umpire again and I'll
separate you from your sinecure. You
are an employee of the league, huh?"
That simply meant that the baseball
writers must be subservient to the
league—be absolutely controlled in
their expressions for the miserable
\$3.00 a day that they are paid—or
must quit. It is to the credit of a
New Orleans sport writer that he
resigned by wire.

Any newspaper man, in any de-
partment, who could be tacitly bribed
or controlled by financial considera-
tions, would be as much of a gentle-
man as the mutinous Russian soldier
is a patriot. President Baugh would
do well to find out something of the
ethics of the newspaper profession.

THE "BATTALION OF DEATH."

"The Charge of the Six Hundred"
should be expunged from the records
of time as unworthy to be classed
with the heroic, before the world
should forget the daring devotion of
the "Battalion of Death," a band of
noble Russian women who went to
the front and faced the German le-
gions as a reproof to cowardly and
mutinous soldiers. It is doubtful if
all the pages of history, replete with
heroism of individual "Molly Starks,"
contains another such notable in-
stance of womanly courage.

This world war will be in vain if
the age produces no poet worthy to
immortalize in verse the glorious dar-
ing of the "Battalion of Death," five
of whose members fell in their first
stand against a rapacious foe. Rus-
sian manhood is unworthy of the
name if it does not arise in its might
and its strength and avenge the death
of these women, every one of whom
possessed the daring and the leader-
ship of a Joan of Arc.

Though the Russian armies are be-
ing driven across the borders of their
country, in mad flight before the
Kaiser's stern Uhlans, America can
still have faith in a nation that within
a few weeks has produced a Kerensky
and a "Battalion of Death." Con-
fusion may prevail, anarchy may
stick up its head, but underlying
these are deeper principles, bigger
hearts. Russia will yet help to win
the war for democracy.

PATRONIZE HOME FACTORIES.

The Albany Overall Company, fi-
nanced and conducted by the Albany
Board of Commerce, is now in full
operation and its manufactured pro-
duct has been placed on the market.
This is a young concern that can be
made to grow. It has a future as
wide and boundless as any enterprise
of equal age and equal capital in the
world. It may some day grow to
proportions sufficient to employ hun-
dreds of operatives.

At the beginning, before the fame
of the new brand of overalls has

spread to the four corners of the
earth, is the time for the home
merchants and the home folks to show
their loyalty to the young industry.
The buying public should insist on
home-made products.

The new factory will spend thou-
sands of dollars annually in the pay-
ment of wages. This money will go
directly into the local channels of
trade. The new factory will pay
taxes, will purchase power and light,
will be constantly in the market for
some local product. Its prosperity
will contribute to the prosperity of
every resident of Albany and Decatur.
It is worthy of support and should
have it.

The same principle holds good in
every line of endeavor. Every other
factory located in the Twin Cities is
equally as worthy of support. Let's
get away from this habit of looting
business out of town.

Birmingham's support of the Tus-
caloosa site for the nitrate plant
should prove its undoing. Anybody
remember that Birmingham has landed
anything it has gone after in the
past ten years?

Considering his fighting proclivities,
it is apparent that Gen. Goethals' place
is nearer the firing line. The
suggestion that he should head the
American engineering corps in France
is a good one.

The British newspapers are scoring
Charlie Chaplin, an English subject,
as a "slacker." The movie hero, how-
ever, still seems to consider the box
office as the proper place for a charge.

Alabama's senators are undivided
from the broad principle that the ni-
trate plant is to be located where it
will prove of greatest value to the
people of the United States.

The Louisville man who provided
eats and drinks for his own funeral
probably had the correct hunch as to
his friends knowing when to re-
joice.

Senator Bankhead's "baby"—the
Warrior—has been spanked and put to
bed.

So far the nitrate plant is neither
"on, nor near the Warrior."

Disaster is the only thing that can
overtake the Russian army.

The Russians have the Germans on
the run again.

From Other Papers

WHAT "BOCHE" MEANS.

(From the Columbus Dispatch.)
The term "Boche," as applied to
the German soldiers, isn't a compli-
mentary one, nor anything new. It
is an old term in France, and means
"thick-headed." It is about equiva-
lent to our American term of "bone-
head."

In fact, the word comes from the
Italian "boccia," and means "a round
ball of exceptionally hard wood used
in playing ten pins." But just how
it came to be applied to the German
soldiers we do not know.

As a general rule, nicknames given
to soldiers are not unkindly. The
French soldier is called "poulu,"
which means hairy, because in the
early French wars the soldiers had
no opportunity to shave, or have their
hair cut, and when they returned from
the army they had a rough, hairy, un-
coust appearance. But there was
nothing unkindly in calling them
"poulu."

The English are called "Tommyes"
because of a fictitious popular Brit-
ish soldier made immortal in verse
and given the name "Tommy Atkins."
During our civil war the Union troops
were called "Yanks," as an abbrevia-
tion of the word "Yankee," and the
Confederates were called "Johnny
Rebs," from "Rebel." But never was
there bitterness or sarcasm in the
term.

But now we have the German sol-
diers generally called "Boches," or
"Boneheads," and certainly not as a
term of endearment. The appella-
tion "Hun," which one sees in print
frequently, also is a term of reproach,
and means that the Germans' present
warfare and tactics savor of the
barbarity of the Huns, who, under
Attila, came near overrunning
Europe and destroying civilization.
There were many of the Huns left
in the region that has since become
Germany, but the German people, as
a people, are not descendants of the
Huns.

PROLONGING IT.

(From Tit-Bits.)

Two English workmen were dis-
cussing the war.

"It'll be an awful long job, Sam,"
said one.

"It will," replied the other.
"You see, these Germans is takin'

Voice of the People

Editor Albany-Decatur Daily:

CITIES DISPUTE OVER
RED CROSS WORK.

Decatur, Ala., July 26—(Spec-
ial.)—It is expected that within
the next few days W. J. Leopard,
of New Orleans, head of the Gulf
division of the American Red
Cross, will arrive here for the
purpose of in some way straight-
ening out a tangle between the
Red Cross of Decatur and the Red
Cross of Albany. On account of
this tangle the charters for the
two Red Cross auxiliaries of De-
catur and of Albany have been
held up. It appears that the two
towns cannot come to terms as
to just what territory each aux-
iliary has jurisdiction over. So
the matter will have to be left to
Mr. Leopard for adjustment.

The foregoing is a clipping from
this morning's Tennesseean. If I may
be allowed to say it, this is a sample
of the fine advertising that our
community is getting. Instead of combin-
ing all our efforts towards the fur-
therance of one of the noblest causes
on earth and which means so much
to our own, we spend our time fight-
ing like cats on a fence.

The people who come into our
towns each day from the outside—
at least a hundred of them—call us a
community of fools. Why? Because
we spend all our time picking at one
another, instead of getting together
and making a town that would really
be worth while. The comments on
our littleness are all disinterested,
because they are made by men who
have no material interest among us.
Being in the hotel business, and con-
stantly among these men, I hear their
comments, made without any reserva-
tion. The general idea among the
traveling men who come here is that
we are a set of "dead ones." Our
ideas are all so exceedingly small
and the enclosed clipping, which
prompts this, is a very fine illustra-
tion of the truth of their ideas.

Some months ago, at the time so
much agitation was being made, and
which resulted in the change of name
from New Decatur to Albany, I had
quite a warm discussion with a very
prominent citizen of the then New
Decatur. My argument to him was
that the interests of these two towns
were identical and that anything that
would do one good would also affect
the other, and that in like manner
would affect us both.

When you get so small here that I
can't make ends meet then I can
leave, but what are you people who
have property going to do? You had
better wake up.

L. E. MCGREGOR.

NOTICE OF SALE.

Charles F. Crow

vs.

W. R. Cooksey et al.

Circuit Court, Morgan County, Ala.

IN EQUITY

Under and by virtue of a decree
rendered July 17, 1917, in the above
styled cause by the Circuit Court of
Morgan County, Alabama, in Equity,
I will proceed on Monday, August 27,
1917, before the Court House door of
said county, in Decatur, Alabama,
within the legal hours of sale, to sell
at public outcry to the highest bid-
der, for cash, the following described
real estate, situated in the City of
Albany, Morgan County, Alabama, to-
wit:

Lots numbered 13 and 14, in Block
3, in what is known as Stroup's Ad-
dition to Decatur, Alabama.

Witness my hand as Register of
said Court, this July 27, 1917.

MARVIN WEST.

J 27 A 3-10 Register.

thousands and thousands of Russian
prisoners and the Russians is takin'
thousands and thousands of German
prisoners. If it keeps on, all the
Russians will be in Germany and all
the Germans in Russia. And then
they'll start all over again, fightin'
to get back their 'omes."

You Say You Can't
Advertise?

That's what others have
said and all of a sudden
found some competitor
was doing what they
thought they couldn't do.
And getting away with it.

Get the bulge on your
competitors by telling
your story in an attractive
manner so it will be read.
You'll get the results.

We Are Anxious to Help

DENTIST'S IDEA OF HUMOR.

It was noon when we dropped into
the dentist's office. The doctor greet-
ed us cordially as we fell into his
chair and prepared to submit our-
selves to torture.

There was the usual clatter of in-
struments on the white tray, as we
opened our jaws, and the dentist
peered into them. This time his ob-
ject of attention was the cavity from
which he had recently extracted a
tooth.

"What are you going to do after
I get through?" said the doctor mildly.

Between his fist and his mirror he
blurted out something about lunch.

"Go to lunch with me, will you?"

We nodded our assent, and then it
happened. Something that felt as big
as a crowbar is and was as sharp as
a new safety razor blade is supposed to
be, went up into the roof of my
mouth. When we landed down again
on the chair and the pain had eased
off a bit we started to laugh.

"You're good," we exclaimed. "In-
vite a man to lunch, and then fix him
so he can't eat."—Detroit Free Press.

WILLING TO HELP.



Hubby—The only way for me to
avoid these payments is put every-
thing I own in your name.

Wifey—Won't it be just lovely for
me to have all that money to spend?

Wanted It All.

The actor dodged, as by his head
A cabbage from the gallery sped.
"Say, there," he cried, "Will you
Kindly throw the corned beef, too?"

The Diagnosis.

"I can't imagine what is the matter
with my daughter, doctor. She mopes
around all day and seems to be eating
her heart out."

"Eating her heart out, eh? If that's
the case, she evidently has indiges-
tion."

A Remarkable Development.

"My husband is better to me now
than he was even before we were mar-
ried."

"How remarkable! Have the years
changed him so?"

"No, I have changed him; he is ac-
tually afraid to be otherwise."

Current Account.

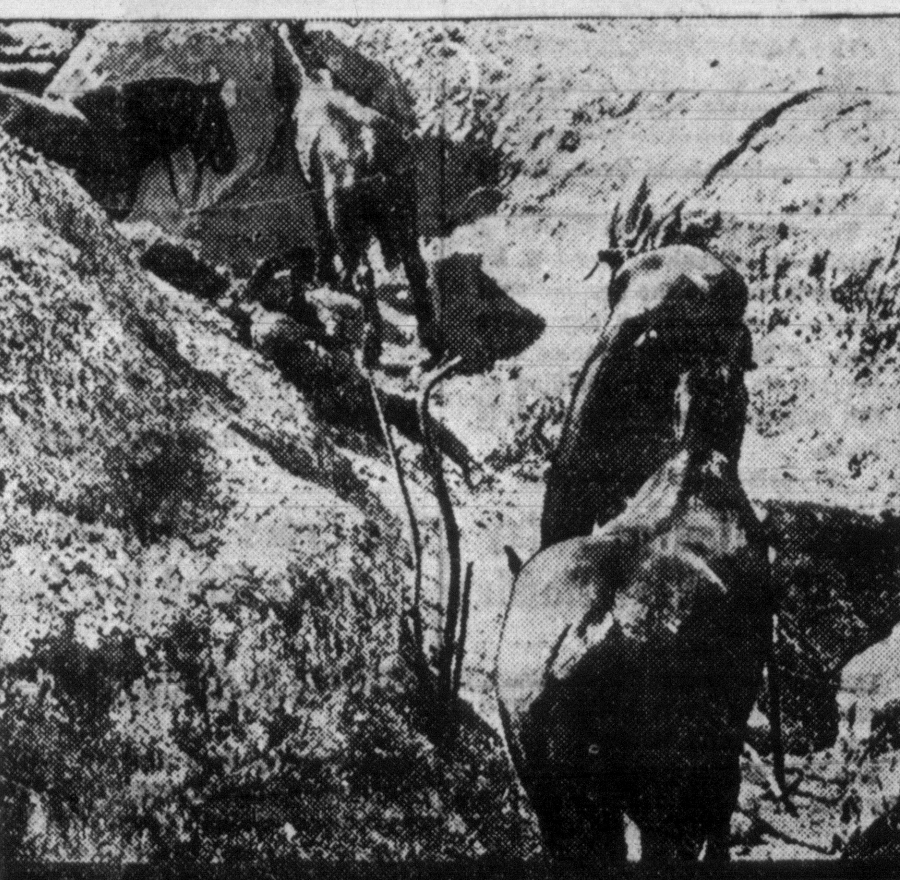
"I want to buy an automobile, but
I don't want to pay cash for it."

"Well, why don't you buy an elec-
tric?"

"What's the advantage?"

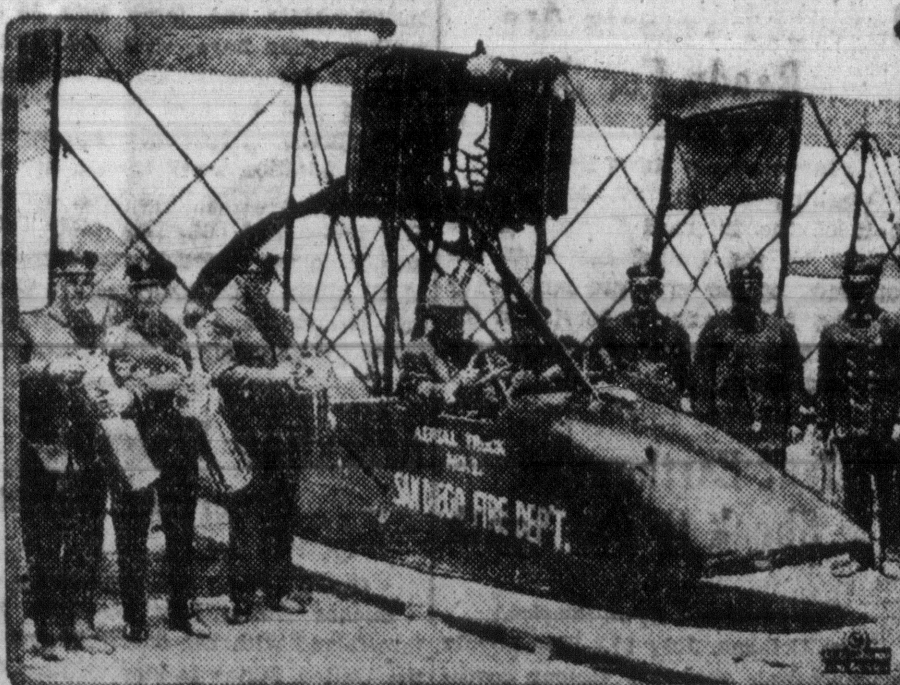
"You can't have it charged."

HORSES, TOO, LIVE IN THE TRENCHES



Horses used by a British force stabled in an old German trench.

AERIAL FIRE DEPARTMENT IS LATEST



San Diego, Cal., is laying claims to being one of the most progressive com-
munities on the map. San Diego has everything any other city in the country
has, and in addition has the first and only aerial municipal fire brigade in the
United States, and, it is believed, in the whole world. The picture shows the
aerial fire patrol, with the chief and his aviator.

AMUSEMENTS

Delite and Star Theatres Saturday,
"At First Sight."

Mae Murray, who has scored such
tremendous personal success in "The
Big Sister," "On Record" and "The
Primrose Ring," has been given an-
other vehicle to display her inimitable
qualifications in this Famous Players
production entitled "At First Sight."
The story is filled with heart interest,
humor, thrills, action and suspense,
and was written by George Middleton,
author of "The House of a Thousand
Candles," "The Cavalier" and "Hit-
the-Trail-Holiday." The production
was directed by Robert Leonard, who
has been devoting his entire attention
to the work of this star.

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159, bounded on the west by Wash-
ington street, on the east by McCart-
ney street, on the south by Market
street and on the north by Water
street; also lots numbered 143 and
160, which last two lots comprise a
fractional block in the City of De-
catur, bounded on the west by Wash-
ington street, on the north by the Ten-
nessee river, on the east by McCart-
ney street and on the south by Water
street.

Witness my hand as Register of
said Court, this July 27, 1917.

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the way I feel now and in the way I
felt the day I bought my first bottle
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enjoy my meals, and at night I lie
down and sleep like a child. The
pains I used to have in my back have
left me and my head don't ache any
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and the ugly spots have left my
arms. Tanlac has made a new wo-
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STATE OF ALABAMA
MORGAN COUNTY.

Probate of Said County.

In the matter of the estate of Alison
Chappell Cain, deceased.

Letters testamentary under the last
will and testament of said decedent,

Alison Chappell Cain having been
granted to the undersigned R. H.

Wolcott, on the 10th day of July,
1917, by the Hon. L. P. Troup, judge

of probate, of said county, in said
state, notice is hereby given that

all persons having claims against
said estate will be required to pre-
sent the same within the time allow-
ed by law or same will be barred.

R. H. WOLCOTT.

Executor of the Last Will and
Testament of Alison Chappell

J 11 18-25 Cain, Deceased.

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residence in best part of Albany;
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vis. 19-1t

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Buenos Aires Expects the German Reply

(International News Service.)
Buenos Aires, July 27.—Germany's reply to Argentine's protest against the sinking of the Argentine ship *Toro* by a U-boat is expected to reach the foreign office today. Well informed circles believe it will be conciliatory and will meet all of Argentine's demands.

RIVER FALLING.
The stage of the river this morning was 9.7 feet and is falling.

PERSONALS

M. G. Vest, of Hartselle, was in the city today.

D. P. Woodall, of Hillsboro, was in the city last night.

Everett Sherrill, who is now working in Albany, came home Sunday to see his mother. Bud Masterson and Dick Sims, two hustling drummers of Decatur, were here Monday interviewing our merchants. Rev. G. F. Ponder and wife, and Mrs. Jones were in Decatur Monday.—Moulton Advertiser.

Rev. L. F. Goodwin is at Big Cove, Ala., conducting a religious meeting. Rev. Manly will occupy his pulpit at the West Side Presbyterian church on Sunday.

Rev. L. S. Hearn, of South Side Baptist church, conducting a meeting at Fairview, Tenn., next week will conduct a meeting at Rogersville, Tenn.

Jeff Eyster returned yesterday from Akron, Ohio, where he has been with the Goodrich Rubber Co. He says employment there is remunerative in a financial way, but the South suits him best.

Gordon Womack, of Nashville, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. C. Tuck.

C. L. Buck entertained the B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church at an ice cream supper Thursday evening in East Albany.

Rev. R. F. Stuckey has returned from Tomly, Ala., where he held a series of meetings.

Dr. W. L. Darby is here today and will go to Rogersville on tomorrow.

Prof. J. M. Collier, of Hartselle, was in the Twin Cities today.

Roy Wyatt left Wednesday night for Lexington to visit his brother, Dr. Stinrell Wyatt, before he left for Indianapolis to enter the army.

Homer Smith left for Birmingham Friday to visit homefolks before going to the front.

Albert Hurston has returned from an extended trip through the western states.

J. E. Lee, of Route 2, was in the city today.

Franklin's Scientific Work.
Benjamin Franklin did interesting and valuable work in the development of science, and in 1750 proposed his famous wire experiment—which was carried out according to his directions in France in 1752, the same year in which Franklin made his still more famous experiment with the kite. Franklin suggested lightning rods, which soon became popular in America and Europe. Epinus, Bergman and Canton made the main discoveries in regard to pyroelectricity about 1770. Henry Cavendish (1731-1810) was the discoverer of many of the most important facts about electricity which were made known in the nineteenth century by Coulomb, Ohm and Faraday.

Luigi Galvani, the discoverer of current, or, as we call it, "galvanic" electricity, made his famous observation of the twitching of a frog's legs in 1780. And in 1794 Volta discovered the correct explanation, which led to the invention of the so-called voltaic pile and voltaic cell. This brings the science of electricity to the nineteenth century and to modern developments.

The Gulf Stream.
The Gulf stream is the great modern representative of the nature myths of imaginative antiquity. It had been discovered 3,000 years ago popular fancy would have turned it into a sea-serpent like the sacred river Alpheus, fabled to flow under the Ionian sea from Elis to Sibley, where it rose to the blue fountain of Arethusa. Even in his scientific age the Gulf stream has the charm of a legend.

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DECATUR RED CROSS WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday.
Mrs. John D. Wyker.
Tuesday.
Mrs. O. B. Cartwright.
Wednesday.
Morn and Noon—Mrs. D. D. McGehee.

Friday.
Morn and Noon—Mrs. C. K. Lide.

Saturday.
Mrs. F. S. Hunt.
Each lady is requested to bring as many as six assistants. A Red Cross button is awaiting any who desire one. Saturday morning the juvenile workers are requested to come for work.

AID MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

An Aid Society of the West Side Presbyterian church was organized yesterday at the home of Mrs. L. F. Goodwin, when 24 members were enrolled. Committees were appointed to do personal work in the church and much interest was shown. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. L. F. Goodwin; first vice president, Mrs. Manly; second vice president, Mrs. A. M. Smith; secretary, Mrs. H. D. Drake; treasurer, Mrs. Tom Martin.

Mrs. Eugene Speer, of East Albany, entertained the Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church Thursday afternoon at 3:30. On arrival of guests punch was served by Mrs. I. M. Shoemaker. A spelling bee was the feature of entertainment. Later ices were served, the hostess being assisted by Mrs. Ed Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Montgomery and little daughter, Jessie, returned yesterday from Pelham, Ala., where Mr. Montgomery represented the First Baptist church at the State Sunday School Convention.

Miss Bonnie Cary, of Morgan county, and Miss Ailie Wall, of Birmingham, will be week-end guests of Mrs. W. L. Wade on Jackson street.

Miss Ethel Kelly is spending the week-end with Miss Helen Taylor at Nashville.

Mrs. M. C. Broadus returned yesterday from Iuka, Miss., accompanied by her son, John A. Broadus.

Mrs. H. Weinberg and son, Charles, who have been residing with Mr. and Mrs. J. Block, have gone to Chicago.

Miss Lillian Block is in Chicago for the summer.

Miss Rhea Lide is expected home from Ohio next week.

Mrs. Truman Stuckey is visiting friends at Montgomery and Eclectic, Ala.

Master Harry Robinson is visiting relatives at Somerville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Taliferro wish to extend thanks to their many friends who were thoughtful during their recent illness. Both are on the road to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Silverman entertained yesterday with a birthday party for their ten-year-old daughter, Mollie. A number of the younger set enjoyed themselves to the utmost. Dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. M. W. Murray is reported much improved, to the delight of her many friends.

Mrs. Mary West is reported improved today.

Miss Lela Thomas, who visited Mrs. E. J. Polhill, left today for Birmingham, en route to Valdosta, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Skeggs have taken a furnished house on South Highland in Birmingham until Oct. 1. Mrs. Skeggs will join Mr. Skeggs and Miss Mary Lee Saturday, who has spent the summer at points on the beach in South Carolina.

Mrs. Ernest Hine, of Athens, is in Montgomery visiting her son, Butler, who is suffering an attack of measles.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Dix and children who attended the Baptist Sunday School Convention at Pelham Heights, returned to Decatur today.

Mrs. Robert Simpson (nee Miss Carolyn Harris of Courtland), of Okmulgee, Okla., is the guest of Mrs. Fred Hunt.

MISS MAUD CLAREY HONOREE OF ROOK PARTY.

At the residence of Mrs. Sam Irwin, the Canal Street Rook club entertained for Miss Clarey, who left last night for Augusta, Ga., her future home. The club, of which she is a member, entertained in her honor. Four tables were arranged for the game, in which Mrs. Fred Hunt made top score. The honoree was presented a pair of silk hose. Later a salad followed by an ice was served. The guests were Mrs. W. N. Hall, Miss Lula Giles, Miss Estelle Hartzes, Miss Jessie Irwin, Mrs. Simpson.

MISS HARTZES, A ROOK HOSTESS.

Miss Estelle Hartzes will be hostess to the Canal Street Rook club on Saturday afternoon at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Pete Ballias.

Mrs. T. G. Hughes is expecting her sister, Mrs. Leonard Vann, of Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bloodworth are expecting to leave soon for Denver, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Jervis and daughter, Mary, are at Denver, Colo.

Miss Jean Buchanan has returned from a visit to friends at Athens.

Miss Sadie Rudolph, en route from Nashville to Selma, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. C. Bailey.

Mrs. Eugene Bailey is entertaining the Perry Street Rook club this afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Hunt is entertaining the Canal Street Rook club this afternoon.

Mrs. Bragdon Fleming and three children returned from Pulaski on Thursday night, where they visited relatives.

Miss Maud Clary left last night for Augusta, Ga.

G. Homer Smith is Accepted for Army

G. Homer Smith, popular employee of John D. Wyker & Son, bade his friends good-bye today and left for Birmingham to become a baker in the quartermasters' corps of the army. He stood a good examination before Sergeant Ball of the local recruiting station, though he had been previously turned down at Birmingham and Huntsville because of a slight defect of vision.

Two others were signed up today by the Decatur office—Henry G. Holland, of Athens, as a baker, and S. H. Huskey, of Hobbs Island, for the infantry.

Baker to Reorganize Council of Defense

(International News Service.)
Washington, July 27.—Secretary Baker after an all morning conference with the national council of defense, today announced that the reorganization of duties is to be completed shortly. He refused to go into details and it is not known whether the re-organization will answer demands made in congress that buyers for the government be removed from positions in which they could buy from their own firms.

TROOPS ARE SHIFTED.

(International News Service.)
Washington, July 27.—The war office announced this afternoon that the Tenth, Twenty-fourth and Forty-seventh New York regiments would go to Spartanburg, S. C., for training instead of Alexandria, La. Two regiments of the New Mexico national guard will be sent to Hattiesburg, Miss., instead of to Linda Vista, Cal.

PUBLIC RECEPTION.

There will be a public reception at the Y. M. C. A. tonight at 8 o'clock. The public is invited. Boxing, wrestling, music and refreshments. Ladies especially invited. The reception is given in honor of the new members.

SCOUT MEETING.

There will be a meeting of Decatur Boy Scouts tonight at 7:30 o'clock. The meeting is of importance and all members are requested to be present.

Business or professional cards printed or engraved. The Daily.

MUCH METAL GONE TO WASTE

One Hundred Million Pounds of Copper Used in 35,000,000 Shells Ordered by Allies in United States.

Up to date the warring allies of Europe have placed orders for 35,000,000 shells in the United States. This means a lot of valuable metal going to waste, for these orders require a total of 101,000,000 pounds of copper, 46,750,000 pounds of spelter and 179,250 pounds of lead.

A British 18-pounder, or 3.3-inch shrapnel, requires 5 pounds 9 1/4 ounces of brass, containing 66 to 70 per cent of copper, or nearly 3 1/2 pounds. A small copper band around the shell adds 4 1/4 ounces, making the total copper 4.04 pounds. Spelter consumption per shell of this size is about 1.87 pounds. Lead bullets weighing 7.92 pounds constitute the metal load of the projectile.

One pound of copper is used in making 24 Lebel rifle cartridges. Every 125 of these cartridges consume 1 pound of spelter and a small amount of nickel. Steel consumption per shell varies more widely with the different types. A finished 3.3-inch shell contains 9 pounds 15 1/4 ounces of steel, the steel shell weighing 6 pounds 5 1/4 ounces and the diaphragm 9 1/4 ounces. Just 33 complete chemical and mechanical operations have to be gone through with great accuracy, precision and care, before white cotton, mixed with sulphuric and nitric acid, becomes smokeless powder.

USE LANCE BOMB AS CHASER

Britain's Mosquito Fleet Armed With Novel Weapons for Fighting in Close Quarters.

The armament of Great Britain's 80-foot "chasers," "M.I.s" they are called, is interesting. Each carries, besides its deck gun, a "depth charge," six "lance bombs," and a rifle for each of its ten men.

The story of the lance-bombs goes like this: A British destroyer was once placed in the embarrassing position of having a U-boat bob up right alongside. It was impossible to depress the guns sufficiently to strafe the stranger, and there was nothing else to strafe him with. What happened to the destroyer I can't say, but it must have got away to tell the story, for each boat is now provided with lance bombs for just such emergencies, says William Washburn Nutting in Collier's Weekly.

The lance bomb is a 14-pound contact bomb on the end of a six-foot handle, the idea being to use it at close range by hurling it much as an athlete throws the hammer. These are implements loaded with awful possibilities in the hands of an amateur, and the surest road to unpopularity with one's shipmates is to suggest a lance bomb rehearsal.

Calling Cards—The last word in correct stationery can be obtained from the Daily. Look our line over.

SENSATION OF THE YEAR IN MEDICINE ON SALE HERE

Calotabs, the New Calomel Tablet That Does Not Grip, Nauseate Nor Salivate, Proves an Interesting Surprise to Local Druggists.

The horrors of Saturday night Calomel-taking are a thing of the past. According to local druggists, the new de-nauseated calomel tablet is a grand success, the triumph of modern pharmacy. Not the slightest danger of unpleasantness attends its use and yet it exhibits all of the liver-cleansing qualities of the old-style calomel.

There can be no doubt that calomel is the most valuable and universally useful of all medicines and now that its objectionable qualities have been removed its popularity will have no bounds. One tablet on the tongue at bedtime, a swallow of water, no taste or unpleasantness whatever. The next morning you are feeling fine, liver clean, splendid appetite. Eat what you please—no danger. In ordering the new de-nauseated calomel tablets ask for "Calotabs." Sold only in original and sealed packages, containing twenty doses, price thirty-five cents. Your druggist has authority to refund your money if you are not perfectly delighted with Calotabs. (Adv.)

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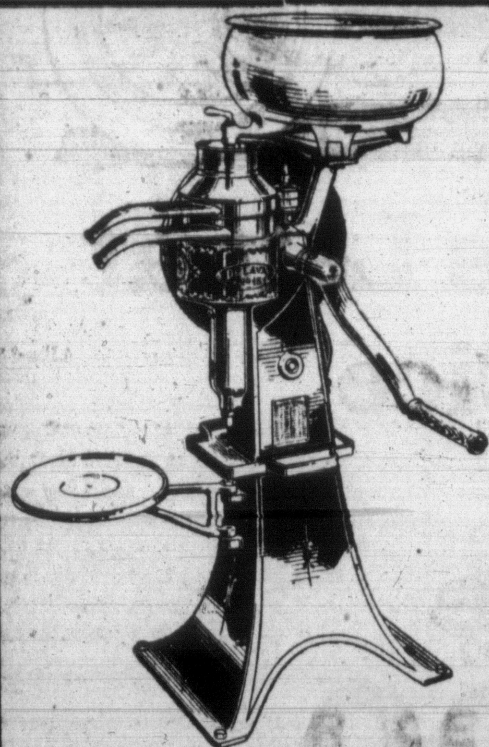
Fox Drama.

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Do not miss the sensational climax to this serial.

Mac Murray, in "AT FIRST SIGHT," highly amusing comedy.



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Condensed Statement

(Comptroller's Call)

June 20, 1917.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and Discounts.....\$362,897.83	Capital Stock.....\$100,000.00
Overdrafts.....366.94	Surplus.....20,000.00
Building and Fixtures.....23,600.86	Undivided Profits.....38,430.94
Other Real Estate.....1,681.50	Reserve for Interest.....1,853.11
U. S. Bonds.....110,000.00	Reserve for Taxes.....862.89
Other Bonds.....23,639.44	Circulation.....95,100.00
Stock Federal Reserve Bank.....3,609.00	Due Banks.....312.48
Five per-cent Fund.....5,000.00	Deposits.....408,592.65
Cash and due from Banks 134,364.53	
\$665,151.50	\$665,151.50

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Preparation of Teachers

Alabama has four Normal Schools—institutions which are devoted exclusively to educating and training teachers. These schools, located in Florence, Jacksonville, Livingston, and Troy, were attended last year by 1200 students. They graduated 200 teachers—men and women who had proved themselves qualified to teach; and who were sent out with the diplomas and first grade certificates which are tangible proof of the work they had done in preparation for the greater work they will do in teaching and training the children of the state.

About 80 per cent of them go to the rural and village schools. Their work is real teaching. It is education and community building and citizen making. It is the kind of work which characterizes the graduates of normal schools.

These 4 normal schools are in session from September to September. They are training teachers every month in the year. Their sole object is to prepare the best possible teachers for the schools of Alabama, and they are proving signally successful in this work for the state.

Get 'Em Here:

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Get 'Em All Next Week!

During the week beginning MONDAY, JULY 30, the merchants will sell Albany Made Overalls at reduced prices, for cash

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BIG WATERWAYS BILL IS PASSED

CARRIES APPROPRIATIONS OF MORE THAN TWENTY-SEVEN MILLION DOLLARS.

Washington, July 27.—Carrying an appropriation of \$27,954,000, the annual rivers and harbors bill was passed by the senate late Thursday 50 to 11.

Although many senators had attacked the measure as pork barrel legislation of a kind inexcusable in war time, the only negative votes on the final roll call were cast by Senators Borah, Brady, Kenyon, La Follette, Smith of Michigan, and Smith of republicans, and Ashurst, Gore, King, Pomeroy and Shafroth, democrats.

The measure which passed the house June 27 now goes to conference. The senate bill authorizes the government to negotiate for acquisition of the Cape Cod and the Chesapeake and Delaware canals, and provides for establishment of a federal waterways commission. The Cape Cod canal and waterways commission provisions were not in the house bill.

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ABOUT IT

The bill was passed after four days of debate, most of the time being occupied by its opponents. Senator Kenyon led the attack, but his motion to substitute a lump appropriation of \$15,000,000 was rejected 45 to 17.

Many Amendments to Bill Rejected. Numerous limiting amendments introduced principally by the bill's opponents were rejected. Senator Curtis' amendment providing no expenditures for river and harbor improvements except where absolutely necessary during the war was defeated 37 to 23. Another by Senator Kenyon providing that no appropriation could be expended unless the president should designate it a public necessity, was voted down 36 to 26.

Without a record vote the senate rejected Senator Shafroth's amendment providing that no appropriation should be available unless states, counties, cities and corporations affected should pay one-third of the amount appropriated.

The waterways commission amendment was a committee proposal. It provides that at least one member shall be an army engineer and one an expert hydraulic engineer. The seven commissioners would study the development and control of waterways and water resources. Each member will receive a salary of \$7,500 per year. They would be appointed by the president.

If you need a clerk, salesman, stenographer or any kind of help, the quickest way is a Daily want ad.

Signal Corps Is In Need Recruits

Enlisted Men Not Trained in Flying. Officers Do This.

In a letter today the war department orders the Decatur recruiting station to resume the acceptance of applicants for the aviation section, signal corps. The enlisted men are not given training in flying, as it is intended that this duty be performed by commissioned officers. The work requires skilled labor and pays well. It is a splendid field for young men who are qualified.

Among the tradesmen needed are carpenters, chauffeurs, clerks, cooks, electricians, machinists, stenographers, blacksmiths, photographers, engine repair men and almost every kind of skilled and unskilled laborers.

Passenger Agents Visit Twin Cities

Emory Brooks, of the L. & N. George Harris, of the Wabash, and George C. Alexander, of the Santa Fe, all traveling passenger agents, today were in the Twin Cities. All are well known and popular here.

Mr. Brooks was en route to Birmingham from St. Louis, where he went to meet the Elliott party returning from Colorado Springs. While here he announced an excursion to Birmingham for Sunday, August 5, with a round trip rate of \$1.50.

Gorman Jones to Train for Office

Passes Physical Examination and Will Be Sent to Ft. Oglethorpe. Gorman Jones, of the Decatur post office, who recently made application for the second officers' reserve corps, has just returned from Birmingham where he successfully stood the physical examination.

As Ft. McPherson has been deemed unfit for a second officers' camp, all applicants for commission will report to Ft. Oglethorpe. The camp opens the last of August.

Hottest Weather of the Year is Here

Government Thermometer Registered 99 Degrees Yesterday. Hotter Today.

"Another heat wave has steamed in! As aggressive as a German offensive, the Weather Man drove straight toward North Alabama yesterday and in consequence the mercury in the government thermometer backed up the tube until it registered 99 degrees, according to the official reading of Mrs. I. H. Irons. Today opened torrid, and it is expected that a new high record for the year will be established this afternoon. The hot, dry weather is appreciated by the farmers and is of value to the cotton crop.

Railroad Men at Chicago to Strike

(International News Service.) Chicago, July 27.—The nineteen railroads entering Chicago are threatened with a strike of 6,500 employees tomorrow morning which would tie up traffic throughout the United States. The Brotherhood of Railway trainmen today said the men would strike unless a closed shop is granted.

ALABAMA SENATORS STAND BY SHOALS

SHOW THAT ENGINEER LITTLE'S REPORT ON WARRIOR WAS BIASED.

Washington, July 27.—Quite a lively controversy is raking in Alabama over the relative merits of Black Warrior river and Muscle Shoals as the proper site for the big nitrate plant which the government is soon to locate.

The Alabama senators have been placed in the embarrassing position of having to choose between two locations in that state. But Senator Underwood and Senator Bankhead have come to the scratch and made it clear that they believe Muscle Shoals offers superior advantages. Senator Underwood has fought in congress for five years to secure authorization for a government owned nitrate plant for the manufacture of explosives and fertilizers, and he believes Muscle Shoals' claims to be pre-eminent as the logical site, now that the appropriation is secured.

In the inter-departmental board's original recommendation Black Warrior river was ranked above Muscle Shoals, and it was the fight made by Senator Underwood and Senator Bankhead that brought to the administration's notice the erroneous conclusions arrived at in the board's report. In a statement to the war department, which he has made public, Senator Underwood compares from government records the Black Warrior river and Muscle Shoals. Senator Underwood in this statement claims that Engineer Little, who investigated Black Warrior river's availability, by certain omissions of data placed Black Warrior in a more favorable light than was justified by the facts. The senator points out that the engineer in estimating the average flow of Black Warrior failed to include in his statistics three very dry years, the figures on which were obtainable. He states that the engineer in his investigation in providing dams, ranging from 14 to 150 feet, failed to note that when low dams were overflowed their power would be eliminated.

In stating the case for Muscle Shoals Senator Underwood utilizes certain data prepared by Prof. W. G. Waldo of Nashville, Tenn.

MEDICAL BOARD FOR ARMY DRAFT

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Provost Marshal Crowder has ruled that credits for enlistments after June 30 will go to the second increment, and it is thought that this will apply to the men who have enlisted since the drawing. This will seriously affect those men holding numbers on the borderland of the first call. Already a number of drafted men from this county have enlisted in either the army or navy.

Shipping Board is Again Re-Organized

(International News Service.) Washington, July 27.—Working organization of the re-organized shipping board was completed today with the election of Edward Hurley as chairman, R. B. Stephens as vice chairman and Lester Sisler as secretary.

Chester Quiets Down; Several Men Dead

Dawn Finds Eighteen in Hospital and Half-Dozen in Morgue.

(International News Service.) Chester, Pa., July 27.—Dawn spread its gray light today over a quiet Chester that three hours before had gone mad with race hatred.

Joseph McCann was shot down in the streets by three bullets. He is the second white man the negroes have killed. A few minutes later an unidentified negro was killed. There are 18 whites and negroes in the Chester hospital. Two of the negroes and one of the white men will die. Police have arrested 72 persons.

Proposed Street is Now Being Surveyed

A good start was made yesterday on the survey for the new street leading from Moulton street to the river. Engineer Henderson of Athens, assisted by J. S. Walker, is doing the work. After the survey is completed an estimate will be made on improving the street and if the city council deems the cost reasonable, work will proceed at once.

The street will furnish a direct outlet to the river and will enable the Albany ferry to cross the Tennessee at a place where the river is narrowest.

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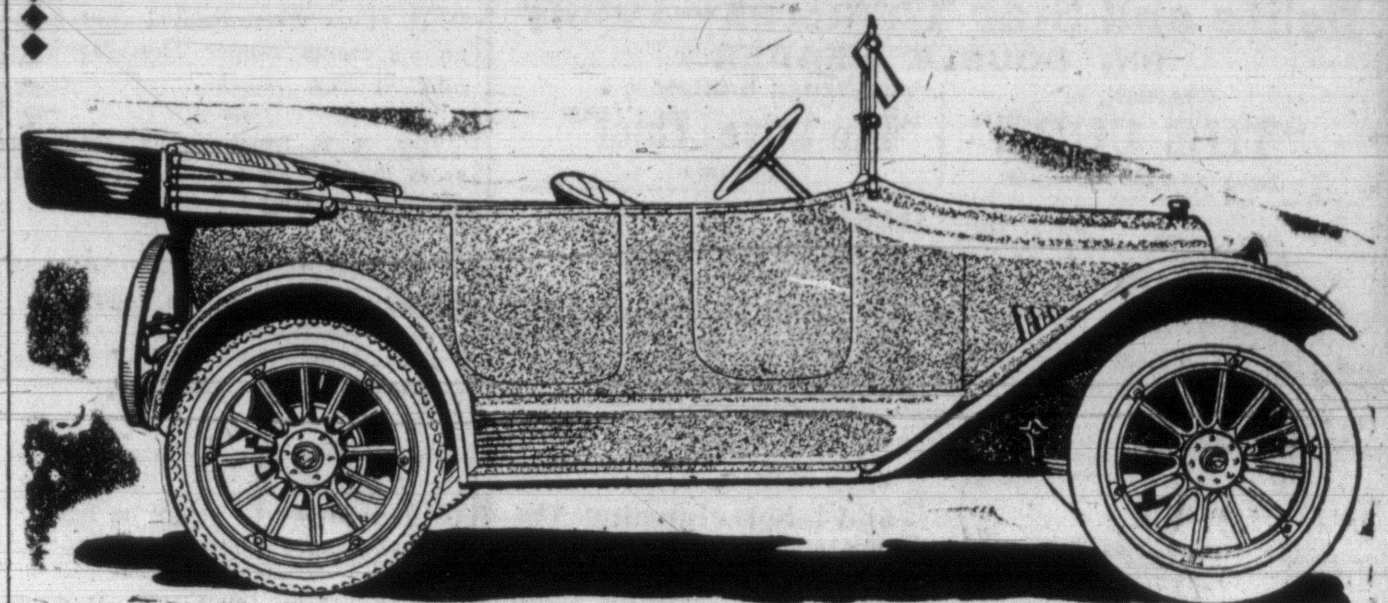
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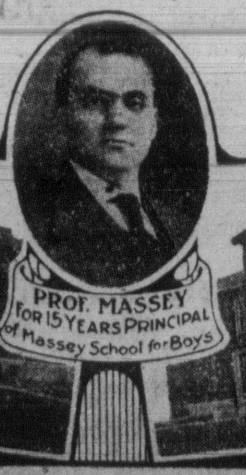
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